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Transmitted herewith for filing is the **continuation** patent application of

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For: **NUCLEIC ACID MUTATION DETECTION IN HISTOLOGIC TISSUE**

This is a request for filing a continuation application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b), of prior U.S. application Serial No. 08/181,664; filed on January 14, 1994, now pending, which is entitled NUCLEIC ACID MUTATION DETECTION IN HISTOLOGIC TISSUE by the following named inventor: David Sidransky.

Enclosed are:

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This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120 to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/181,664, filed January 14, 1994, the contents of which are both incorporated by reference in their entirety herein.

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Prior to examination, on page 1, after the title, please insert ☒ This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120 to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/181,664, filed January 14, 1994, the contents of which are both incorporated by reference in their entirety herein.

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1. ☐ Cancel in this application original claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_.
2. ☐ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

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X Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
5. \_\_\_ Amend the specification by inserting on line \_\_\_\_, page \_\_\_\_:
- This application is a divisional of application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_, now pending, which is a divisional of U.S. application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_, now pending, the entire contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference herein.
6. X A verified statement claiming small entity status was filed in parent application, Serial No. 08/181,664, filed on January 14, 1994, and such status is still proper.
7. X The prior application is assigned of record to The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine by assignment recorded on April 1, 1994, at Reel/Frame 6953/0643.
8. X The power of attorney in the prior application is to Lisa A. Haile, Registration No. 38,347.
9. \_\_\_ Please transfer the drawings from the prior application to the new application.

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10. X A copy of the prior application as filed is enclosed, including a copy of a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in parent application, U.S. application Serial No. 08/181,664, filed on January 14, 1994.
11. X Permission to Use Sequence Listing of parent priority is enclosed along with paper copy of Sequence Listing.
12. X Information Disclosure Statements filed in the prior application under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 are hereby made of record. Copy of PTO-1449 is enclosed.

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The undersigned states that the enclosed application papers comprise a true copy of the prior application as filed.

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